

IN THE ABSTRACT

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A transceiver for a serial data bus is provided which transceiver includes error management. In a first example embodiment of a transceiver, error management is provided which supplies an error signal when the data bus lines are active and the receiving line simultaneously is inactive. In a second example embodiment of a transceiver, error management is provided which triggers an error signal when the transmission line is active for a longer period than a predetermined time interval, which error signal is cancelled when both the transmission line is inactive and the receiving line is active.